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JOHN MARSHALL RICHMAN; SPIN {B}-EXPANDED NAME CHECK;

BUDED: 2/6/87. John M. Richman John Richman

BUREAU HAS BEEN REQUESTED TO CONDUCT EXPEDITE EXPANDED

NAME CHECK OF RICHMAN FOR PRESIDENTIAL APPOINTMENT, AS MEMBER,

ADVISORY COMMITTEE FOR TRADE NEGOTIATIONS. SSAN 571-32-7131

BORN NOVEMBER 9, 1927, IN NEW YORK, NEW YORK, RESIDES

1137 LOCUST ROAD, WILMETTE, ILLINOIS, AND IS EMPLOYED AS

CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD AND CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER, KRAFT,

INCORPORATED, KRAFT COURT, GLENVIEW, ILLINOIS. ALSO

AFFILIATED: DIRECTOR, CONTINENTAL ILLINOIS CORPORATION AND

CONTINENTAL ILLINOIS NATIONAL BANK AND TRUST COMPANY OF

CHICAGO, USX CORPORATION, THE EVANSTON HOSPITAL CORPORATION

AND GROCERY MANUFACTURERS OF AMERICA, INCORPORATED, AND

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CHAIRMAN OF THE CHICAGO COUNCIL ON FOREIGN RELATIONS, AND HAS  
SSAN: 577-32-7131.

RECEIVING OFFICE CHECK INDICES AND ELSUR FILES BASED UPON  
AVAILABLE INFORMATION CONCERNING APPOINTEE, IF UTILIZING MAJOR  
CASE INFORMATION SYSTEM, ALSO CHECK THOSE DATA BASES.  
PROMPTLY SUTEL RESULTS {POSITIVE OR NEGATIVE} BY TELETYPE  
SUMMARY AND IF POSITIVE, FOLLOW WITH COPIES OF DOCUMENTS BY  
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RECEIVING OFFICE WILL ALSO CONTACT THE UNITED STATES  
ATTORNEY'S OFFICE COVERING AREAS WHERE APPOINTEE RESIDES AND  
IS EMPLOYED TO DETERMINE IF THERE IS ANY INDICATION APPOINTEE  
HAS BEEN INVOLVED IN A MATTER HANDLED BY THE UNITED STATES  
ATTORNEY'S OFFICE {EITHER CRIMINAL OR CIVIL, IN CLOSED OR  
CURRENT FILES}.

NO FURTHER INVESTIGATION IS REQUESTED AT THIS TIME;  
HOWEVER, SUBMIT RESULTS BY BUDED BY SUMMARY TELETYPE, NO  
REPORT NECESSARY.

DIRECT RESULTS TO THE ATTENTION OF:  SPIN,  
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**Records/Operations Sections**

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☒ Unrestricted (Active & Inactive Index)

**Type of Search Requested:** (Check One)

- ☒ All References (Security & Criminal)  
☐ Security Search  
☐ Criminal Search  
☐ Main

References Only

**Special Instructions:** (Check One)

- ☐ Exact Name Only (On the Nose)  
☐ Buildup ☒ Variations  
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Subject RICHMAN, JOHN MARSHALLBirthdate & Place 11/9/27 NY NYAddress 1137 LOCUST RD, WILMETTE, ILSSN 577-32-7131 CHMN, CED KRAFT, INCLocalities GLENVIEW, ILR# 329Date 1/30

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JOHN M. RICHMAN

CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD AND CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

KRAFT, INC.

SECURITY OFFICE

JAN 28 1987

John M. Richman is Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer of Kraft, Inc. He joined Kraft's Law Department in 1954 and was appointed General Counsel of the company's former Sealtest Foods Division in 1963. Serving as Assistant General Counsel of the corporation for three years, he was named Vice President and General Counsel in 1970 and Senior Vice President in 1973. Two years later, he was appointed Senior Vice President of Administration, which included responsibility for Human Resources. On February 1, 1979, he was elected Deputy Chairman and a member of the Board of Directors, and on June 1, 1979, became Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of Kraft, Inc.

On September 25, 1980, Kraft, Inc. and Dart Industries Inc. merged to form Dart & Kraft, Inc., of which Mr. Richman became Chairman and Chief Executive Officer. In November 1986, following the spin-off of most of the company's non-food businesses, Dart & Kraft was renamed Kraft, Inc.

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John M. Richman -2

Mr. Richman is a Director of the Continental Illinois Corporation and Continental Illinois National Bank and Trust Company of Chicago, USX Corporation (formerly United States Steel Corporation), the Evanston Hospital Corporation and Grocery Manufacturers of America, Inc. He is a Trustee of Northwestern University, and a member of The Business Council and The Business Roundtable (Policy Committee).

In addition, Mr. Richman is Chairman of the Chicago Council on Foreign Relations, a Director of the Lyric Opera of Chicago and a Trustee of the Chicago Symphony Orchestra. He is a Principal of Chicago United and a member of The Commercial Club of Chicago and the Economic Club of Chicago.

Born in New York City on November 9, 1927, he received his B.A. degree from Yale University in 1949 and his LL.B. degree from Harvard Law School in 1952. Mr. Richman and his wife.

[redacted] live in Wilmette, Illinois. They have [redacted]  
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APPLICANT NAME : RICHMAN, JOHN MARSHALL

NAME SEARCHED : RICHMAN, JOHN MARSHALL

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TO: ELSUR Room 4997 TL 114  
NCIC Room 7233 TL 243  
Wanted & CCH Files  
Attn: [redacted]

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FROM: SPECIAL INQUIRY Room 1B035 TL 254

SUBJECT: JOHN RICHMAN, SPIN, BUDED: 2/11/87

The Bureau has been requested to conduct an expedite investigation of the above-captioned subject, who is being considered for an unspecified Presidential appointment. The indicated unit is requested to check appropriate indices based upon available information concerning subject, employment, and all close relatives. It is requested that the results of your checks, positive or negative, be indicated in the spaces provided below, and relayed to the Special Inquiry Unit (SPIN), Room 1B035 TL 254, via routing slip marked "URGENT", on or before BUDED.

Subject is described as follows:

Result NI  
Name: JOHN MARSHALL RICHMAN  
DOB: 1/12/37  
POB: NEW YORK, NY  
SSAN: 577-32-7131  
Current residence: 1137 LOCUST Rd.  
WILMETTE, IL  
Employment: COF Bd. & CEO KRAFT INC  
KRAFT COBAT, GLENVIEW, IL

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ANALYST :

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APPLICANT NAME : RICHMAN\*JOHN MARSHALL

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NAME SEARCH : RICHMAN\*JOHN MARSHALL

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JOHN RICHMAN, SPIN, BUDED. 2/16/87

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Subject is described as follows:

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Name: JOHN MARSHALL RICHMAN  
DOB: 1/12/37  
POB: NEW YORK, NY  
SSAN: 577-32-7131  
Current residence: 1137 LOCUST Rd.  
WILMETTE, IL

Employment: COF Bd. & CEO, KRAFT, INC.  
KRAFT COURT, GLENVIEW, IL

Close Relatives

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TO:

ELSUR Room 4997 TL 114  
NCIC Room 7233 TL 243  
Wanted & CCH Files  
Attn: [redacted]

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2/16/87

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Subject is described as follows:

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Name: JOHN MARSHALL RICHMAN

DOB: 11/12/37

POB: NEW YORK, NY

SSAN: 577-32-7131

Current residence: 1137 LOCUST RD.

Employment: C of Bd. & CEO, KRAFT INC.

KRAFT CO., GLENVIEW, IL

Close Relatives

Result	Relationship	Name	DOB	Residence

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SPECIAL INQUIRY

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TRANSMIT VIA:

☐ Teletype  
☐ Facsimile  
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PRECEDENCE:

☐ Immediate  
☐ Priority  
☐ Routine

CLASSIFICATION:

☐ TOP SECRET  
☐ SECRET  
☐ CONFIDENTIAL  
☐ UNCLAS E F T O  
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Date 2/4/87

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI  
(ATTENTION: [redacted] SPIN, ROOM 1B035)  
FROM: SAC, CHICAGO (161B-R-549) (RUC) (SQUAD 12)  
SUBJECT: JOHN MARSHALL RICHMAN;  
SPIN (B)  
EXPANDED NAME CHECK  
BUDED 2/6/87

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Re Chicago tel to Bureau 2/4/87.

Enclosed is a portion of a serial, classified ~~secret~~,  
which information was set out in referenced Chicago tel.

No further investigation is being conducted at Chicago.

② - Bureau (Encl. 1)  
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(3) CC DES [redacted]

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ENCLOSURE (1) TO DIRECTOR, FBI.

FROM SAC, CHICAGO (161B-R-549)

Portion of a serial, classified ~~secret~~, which  
info was set out in re CG tel.

RE: JOHN MARSHALL RICHMAN;  
SPIN (B)  
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BUDED 2/6/87

Re CG airtel dated 2/4/87

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TO DIRECTOR PRIORITY

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ATTN: [REDACTED] SPIN, ROOM 1B035.

JOHN MARSHALL RICHMAN; SPIN (B)-EXPANDED NAME CHECK;

BUDED FEBRUARY 6, 1987.

~~INFORMATION FOLLOWED BY THE LETTER (S) IS CLASSIFIED~~

~~"SECRET".~~

RE BUTEL JANUARY 30, 1987.

CHICAGO GENERAL INDICES BY [REDACTED] FEBRUARY 1,

1987; ELSUR BY [REDACTED] FEBRUARY 4, 1987 AND

CONFIDENTIAL BY [REDACTED] FEBRUARY 3, 1987.

SEE NEGATIVE RE APPOINTEE WITH EXCEPTION OF THE FOLLOWING

GENERAL INDICES:

CHICAGO FILE 9A-7660 IS CAPTIONED "MERC-EX;

EXTORTION-HOBBS ACT-COMMERCIAL CORPORATION, OO: NEW YORK".

DECLASSIFICATION AUTHORITY DERIVED FROM:  
FBI AUTOMATIC DECLASSIFICATION GUIDE  
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THIS CASE WAS OPENED AS A RESULT OF NEWARK TELTYPE  
DATED NOVEMBER 23, 1983, CC TO FBIHQ (NO BUFILE NUMBER)  
CAPTIONED "UNSUBS; "THREAT TO CONTAMINATE PRODUCTS  
OF JOHNSON AND JOHNSON-VICTIM; ET AL; EXTORTION-  
HOBBS ACT-COMMERCIAL CORPORATION; OO: NEW YORK".

THIS TELETYPE REFLECTS ON NOVEMBER 23, 1983, A LETTER  
WAS RECEIVED BY AT AND T, NEW YORK, NEW YORK. LETTER  
POSTMARKED NOVEMBER 18, 1983 FROM MARINA DEL REY,

CALIFORNIA AND IDRECTED, PERSONAL: [REDACTED]

(AT AND T), AND STATES IN PART, [REDACTED] AFTER  
READING THIS COMMUNICATION, YOU WILL CALL A MEETING  
OF VARIOUS INDIVIDUALS, INCLUDING MR. JOHN M.  
RICHMAN, KRAFT INCORPORATED, GLENVIEW, ILLINOIS.

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THE LETTER SETS FORTH THREATS TO VARIOUS COMPANIES  
INCLUDING KRAFT INCORPORATED. SINCE THE ABOVE IS  
NOT DEROGATORY ON RICHMAN AND SINCE THE BUREAU IS  
IN RECEIPT OF THIS INFO IT IS NOT BEING FORWARDED  
UNDER SEPARATE AIRTEL.

CHICAGO FILE A [REDACTED] REFLECTS ON  
MAY 6, 1980, [REDACTED] A SOURCE OF KNOWN

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RELIABILITY WHICH IS IN A POSITION TO KNOW, REPORTED  
THAT ONE JOHN RICHMAN, [REDACTED]

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A COPY OF THE ABOVE INFO WILL BE FURNISHED UNDER  
SEPARATE AIRTEL.

CHICAGO UNABLE TO DETERMINE IF ABOVE INDIVIDUAL  
IDENTICAL WITH CAPTIONED APPOINTEE.

[REDACTED] IS A SENSITIVE SOURCE OF THE  
CHICAGO DIVISION OF THE FBI. ANY DISSEMINATION OF  
THE ABOVE INFORMATION SHOULD BE SUITABLY PARAGRAPHERED  
AND PROTECTED IF UTILIZED OUTSIDE THE BUREAU. ~~(S)~~ (U)

ON FEBRUARY 2, 1987, [REDACTED] UNITED  
STATES ATTORNEY'S OFFICE, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS,  
ADVISED THEIR RECORDS ARE NEGATIVE RE JOHN MARSHALL  
RICHMAN.

AIRTEL TO FOLLOW.

~~C BY G 3; DECL: OADR.~~

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